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RESPONSE TO MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts having a mailing date of February 20, 2001 applicants enclose herewith the signed Declaration. Also attached is an Assignment Transmittal Letter and a Claim for Priority.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 2.854.00 covering the required \$ 710.00 filing fee, the \$ 130.00 fee for the late filing of the declaration, \$ 864.00 for forty-eight additional claims, \$ 880.00 for eleven additional independent claims and the \$ 270.00 fee for multiple-dependent

claims. The commissioner, however, is authorized to charge deposit account 18-2056 (or credit any overpayment thereto) for any deficiency in fees required to maintain the pendency of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1726.
 - \$846 for 47 total claims over 20.
 - \$880 for 11 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2566.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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